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1. ☒ The amendment filed on 10 December 2003 under 37 CFR 1.312 has been considered, and has been:
- a) ☐ entered.
 - b) ☒ entered as directed to matters of form not affecting the scope of the invention.
 - c) ☐ disapproved because the amendment was filed after the payment of the issue fee.
Any amendment filed after the date the issue fee is paid must be accompanied by a petition under 37 CFR 1.313(c)(1) and the required fee to withdraw the application from issue.
 - d) ☐ disapproved. See explanation below.
 - e) ☐ entered in part. See explanation below.

The after final amendment filed under 37 CFR 1.116 on 12-10-03 arrived after the mailing of the notice of allowance and has been treated as an amendment under 37 CFR 1.312.


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